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## REQUEST

## FOR

## CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

## TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or  
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/942,764
Confirmation Number	9203
Filing Date	August 31, 2001
First Named Inventor	Satoru HOSONO
Group Art Unit	2853
Examiner Name	Blaise L. MOUTTET
Matter Number	Q66059

Title	INK JET RECORDING HEAD, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME, METHOD OF DRIVING THE SAME, AND INK JET RECORDING APPARATUS INCORPORATING THE SAME
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

### 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
previously filed on April 18, 2003
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
- v. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.105(c) for a  
period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. FEES

Please charge the RCE statutory fee of \$750.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and  
authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.  
Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

### CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

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### SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

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Signature Kevin M. Barner Date May 19, 2003